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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed from the Patent Office on June 23, 2006, Applicants elect, with traverse, to prosecute Species I, Figure 4: Claims 1-22.

Applicants hereby withdraw Claims 23-69 (Species II through VIII, Figures 5 through 11) from prosecution. Applicants reserve the right to request rejoinder under MPEP 821.04, if appropriate, and/or to prosecute any future cancelled claims in subsequent divisional applications, without prejudice.

A listing of the claims in the present application is appended hereto, with current status.

Respectfully submitted,

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